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Weekend drug-related arrests also lead to resisting arrest charges against suspects

Two local citizens found bond], possession of a con-multiple charges. He was arrested drug charges and [\$2,500 bond], one count

On Saturday, June 3, deputies with the Coffee County Sheriff's Department arrested Douglas Moore, age 59, of Kinston, Ala., on multiple offenses. He was booked into the

p.m. Saturday afternoon. time this week.

of attempting to elude with no injury [\$6,000 bond], one count of attempting to elude with no injury [\$1,500 bond] and resisting arrest [\$2,500 bond].

Coffee County Jail at 3:16 in the county jail as of press attempting to elude with

include first degree posses- Police arrested 32-year-old drug paraphernalia [\$5,000 sion of marijuana [\$15,000 James Morris of Elba on bond].

themselves in trouble with trolled substance [\$15,000 booked into the county jail law enforcement this past bond], misdemeanor posses- as 7:17 p.m. Sunday night. weekend when they were sion of drug paraphernalia Morris was charged with two counts of

possession of a controlled substance [\$10,000 bond each], obstructing governmental operations [\$10,000 bond], resist-

Moore remained ing arrest [\$10,000 bond], no injury [\$10,000 bond] Charges against Moore On Sunday, June 4, Elba and felony possession of

ment to exhaust its resourc-

Todd Askins, Will Reeves,

"We either allow them es and funds and after that

mous vote.

Allowing time for the board to exhaust resources and funds

Moore

New Brockton Council votes to dissolve rec board by Linda Hodge, Editor

New Brockton Town to operate as the law says the council will dissolve Council members voted or we dissolve it," Askins the recreation board. The Monday evening, June 5, said. "The ball is really in motion passed by unaniduring their regular coun- our court here." cil meeting to dissolve the A representative of the Also, during the meeting, recreation board within the recreation board at Monday council members consid-

night's meeting said it had ered an alcohol ordinance Council member Todd always been the intention that would make certain Askins said the town has a of those who had stepped changes to the sale of alcobasic understanding of what up to do what is best for the hol in New Brockton. This a committee is and what a town. She said they would included adding Sunday around the corner, a local needs to decide how it is cil to dissolve the board if other changes. the council would provide A motion to approve the going to move forward.

"Are we going to allow ample time for the recre- ordinance failed to pass due them to operate as a board?" ation board to spend the to a tie vote. Voting in favor Askins asked. "As a board, money it has remaining in were council members they are not necessarily its account first. their own entity, but they She said the board is and Justin Flowers. The no do not have to come to looking to purchase a stor- votes came from council the council to ask 'Mother, age building for the recre- member Shirley Eads and may I' on everything. They ation department with those Ronald Terry, and Mayor basically operate own their own."

Askins said he had been of the funds in the account. citizens that New Brockton in discussions with those currently sitting on the rec- needed to wait until that closed Monday, June 19, for reation board, and he said purchase is made before the Juneteenth holiday. The those members have agreed dissolving the board offices also will be closed to either resign or allow because once it is dissolved July 3rd and 4th for the the council to dissolve the all authority returns to the Independence Day holiday. board, but they asked to let town council. the board spend its funds in Council member Justin for the council is set for the recreation department Flowers made a motion Monday, June 26, at 6 p.m. account before that happens with a second from coun- while the next council Held this Spring at the Elba Public Library

hosted an afterschool pro- by PicScience, an organiza- questions or embarrassed gram this spring designed tion that works to improve about not grasping the conto help small groups of stu- access to STEM and pre- cept, which has happened dents develop their math pare students for career in the past in a tradition-

Students worked one-on-

The Elba Public Library program was implemented longer feels ashamed to ask

tice basic math operations, individual attention provid- Foundation and The Grove such as multiplication, divi- ed by the program," said Community Outreach, a

[since those funds belong cil member Will Reeves to meeting will be Monday, to the current recreation allow the recreation depart- July 10, at 6 p.m. Afterschool program helped students develop math skills

funds, and that purchase Ralph Medley.

would use up most if not all Mayor Medley reminded

Askins said the council Town offices would be

al classroom setting." "My child has enjoyed The program was sponone with instructors to pract he smaller group size and sored by the Walmart

The next work session

tion. On the last day, students celebrated their participation and hard work with a party. Elba Pizza Hut donated two pizzas. Chickfil-A of Enterprise donated gift cards to each of the



"Coaching By Dad" is available for purchase locally. The book, written by Elba pastor Paul Jackson and his son, Gabriel, can be purchased in Elba at LillieAnne's or Son Exposure. The book is shown here as part of a Father's Day display at LillieAnne's.

Local pastor hopes his book will be guide for dads to be more intentional with their children

by Linda Hodge, Editor

With Father's Day is just the lives of their children.

(and moms) become more tor of Covenant Community intentional and engaged in Church in Elba.

"Coaching By Dad" was boy - maybe one or two - I board is, and the council resign or allow the coun- sales after 11 a.m. among pastor hopes a book he written by Paul Jackson and started writing and leaving penned with his son will his son Gabriel Jackson. notes for him affirming my serve as a guide to help dads The elder Jackson is pas- love for him," Jackson said.



ENJOYING THE WEATHER...Melinda and Whitney Mills were recently seen enjoying a short mid-morning rest and eat- would get together and talk ing snacks at the picnic table in the shade of the pecan tree at Troy Bank and Trust. They were obviously enjoying the whole thing and were very talkative with anyone passing by.

NOTICE:

A "Lunch and Learn"

event will be held Friday,

June 9, at the Elba Public

Library, at 11 a.m. to

include a book signing

by Dr. W.L. Peterson

for his book, "I'm Still

Standing"

"When Gabe was a small "It was just for fun. I continued writing the notes/letters for him until he was about age 26."

Jackson said writing comes easy to him, and he said Gabe came up with the idea of turning the letters he had written into a book to help guide, train, disciple and teach other fathers about being intentional with their children. He said many of the letters were about life, questions, issues at school, etc.

"It was my way of coaching, guiding him, and helping him grow up," Jackson said. "My desire was for Gabe to be a good quality person - character-wise, and I wanted to shape him in those kinds of ways. I also wanted to shape him spiritually."

Jackson said his letters were his way of discipling his son. He said he would write him a letter and after Gabe read the letter, they

See BOOK, Page 3



Stryker McCord of Elba was one of several local stu-dents to participate in the afterschool program at the Elba Public Library this Spring.

Area Happenings

The Elba Zoning Board will meet Tuesday, June 13, at 7:30 a.m., at Elba City Hall. This meeting is open to

The Elba Public Library's Summer Learning Program will be held June 1 - July 28 this year. This program is fun for all ages, including adults. For more information, call (334) 897-6921 or email - library@ elbaal.gov. Participants can register online at www. elbapubliclibrary.com

Elba's Fourth of July celebration - Let Freedom Ring - will be Tuesday, July 4, on the square in downtown Elba. Sponsored by the Elba Chamber of Commerce and City of Elba, the event will begin at 6 p.m. and will include a golf cart parade, inflatables for kids, contests, food concessions, entertainment by Blind Skeleton [featuring Elba native Bill Brueckner] and, of course, fireworks! Make plans now to spend the 4th in Elba.



The Elba Country Club Boys Junior Open golf tournament, hosted by the Elba High School golf program, was held last week, and the overall winner/low medalist was Elba's own Trace Grantham. His score of 72 vaulted him to a first place win in his Age 16-17 division, and it also held up to be the overall low medalist score. Grantham is shown here receiving his trophies from Elba High School boys golf coach Mark Wicker. For more on this event, please see Page 6 of today's paper.

EDITORIAL

BRAINSTORMS

With Ferrin Cox

"A torn jacket is soon mended but hard words bruise the heart of a child." - Henry Wadsworth Longfellow

Our late-night unknown phone caller hit again for the third week in a row. This time it was only once, but still the same routine with the phone screen showing. . . "NO CALLER ID" and location "UNKNOWN". At the post office a couple of days ago a regular reader noted she was getting the same calls, so it apparently is not a mistaken dialing deal, but some Reckless driver reported con artist at work.

Our book reading has slowed down a bit as yard work has taken its toll on our available hours but we are still reading. After really enjoying an Abe Lincoln book, we pushed p.m.); Theft of services Six traffic stops resulted two other Lincoln books back for a breather on that part reported at 775 Claxton in five investigative stops, of American history. However, two old books that our Ave N (12:40 p.m.); Drug and one verbal warning. mother bought many, many years ago proved a bit of a activity reported at 775 disappointment. One was a Reader's Digest book of facts and the other, even older one, someone else had compiled Suspicious circumstances little known "facts". The Reader's Digest fact book was reported at 1033 Morrow Lane Dr - w/arrest (8:20 a bit boring, so we parked it and moved to the older one, Ave (5:39 p.m.). Five traf- a.m.); Domestic complaint only to be more disappointed. What soured us on it was fic stops resulted in two reported at 722 Carver a picture of an alligator and the accompanying 'facts" plainly stated the gator could live to be one thousand years old! Had they written one hundred years, we would have shrugged and thought "very unlikely" but 1,000? We immediately put that book aside and went on to another Criminal mischief reported Morrow Ave (5:50 p.m.); Abe Lincoln book, which by the way, is well written and at 660 Lee St (1:26 p.m.); very interesting. There may be errors in this book, like exaggerating Abe's rail splitting talents, downplaying his at 1315 Hickman Ave (4:12 bouts with depression, etc., as well, but there are no reports p.m.); Domestic complaint of thousand-year-old gators in this book!

The fatal crash of the private jet after flying directly over the White House this week clearly had the military folks upset, judging by scrambling a half dozen jet fighters to intercept it. After the plane made a sudden turn and was approaching the 'no fly' zone around Washington D. C. and was 'unresponsive' to radio transmissions, then crashing, our first thought was it had oxygen problems. At press deadline time Tuesday, that is the first thing crash investigators are checking. Amazingly they are as smart and well informed as yours truly :)!

This past weekend we observed a whole bunch of folks, eating, partying and jumping in out of the water spray at the Elba Sexual assault/rape report-Splash Pad. With as many people and cars there were around ed to Elba Police (12:36 that area, there had to be more than one party going on. The p.m.); Suspicious person weather was perfect and close observation determined that reported at 1035 Claxton was bunch of happy, carefree families enjoying life.

We are holding breath right now (Noon Tuesday). The Alabama legislature is in its final day of the 2023 regular session and as always there are some bills up for passage that are less than favorable to us regular citizens. It is not unusual for the lawmakers to stop the clocks at one minute to ed at 733 Ashley Circle midnight to give them time to pass some of these unpopular bits of legislation. If that happens, the only thing than can Stolen vehicle reported to stop it is for the governor to refuse to sign the bill, which puts the governor under lots of political pressure. Hopefully this year will see all those bits of legislation 'failing' to even reported at 885 Cedar Lane

Dad's Day Deals

UNE 6TH - JUNE 19TH

ment, between Tuesday, Circle (9:42 p.m.); Theft day, June 5, 2023, conduct- 870 Cedar Lane Dr (10:14 at 126 Adkinson Ave (5:57

ed the following activity: Tuesday, May 30 - resulted in a citation. Claxton Ave N (1:34 p.m.); verbal warnings, one Dr (8:54 a.m.); Rolling advice given, one written domestic reported on Hwy

warning, and one citation. Wednesday, May 31 -Criminal mischief reported reported on Neil Grantham Dr (5:48 p.m.); Suspicious circumstances reported at 1150 Claxton Ave N (6:02 p.m.); Suspicious person reported on Beaver Dam St (6:06 p.m.); Criminal mischief reported at 1243 Farris Ave (9:54 p.m.). Two traffic stops resulted in one citation, and one verbal warning.

Thursday, June 1 -Ave N (10:15 p.m.). Three traffic stops resulted in two written warnings, and one no action taken.

Friday, June 2 -Animal complaint report-- w/impound (11:55 a.m.); Elba Police (12:15 p.m.); Suspicious circumstances Dr (5:21 p.m.); Noise com-

The Elba Police Depart- plaint reported on Brunson ing, and one arrest. May 30, 2023, and Mon- of property reported at Traffic accident reported

Elba Police Report

a.m.); Verbal altercation ed at 1449 Smith Ave (10:27 a.m.); Suspicious Morrow Ave (7:58 p.m.). reported at 4133 Hwy (12:52 a.m.); Domestic 125 – w/arrest (1:13 a.m.); complaint reported at 1438 Smith Ave (12:57 a.m.): on Hwy 189 - w/ver- Fight reported at 625 bal warning (8:45 a.m.); Reynolds Ave (8:27 p.m.); Suspicious person reported Assault reported at 625 at 14992 Hwy 87 (12:26 Reynolds Ave (9:11 p.m.).

> Sunday, June 4 reported at 885 Cedar 203 (2:44 p.m.); Criminal mischief reported at 1035

Monday, June 5 -

person reported on Martin Luther King Dr (1:02 p.m.); Report of shots fired at Elba Villas (1:17 p.m.); p.m.). One traffic stops a.m.); Animal complaint Theft of property reported reported at 1026 Caroline at 605 Mullins Circle (4:50 Disturbance reported at Saturday, June 3 - St (9:14 a.m.); Traffic acci- p.m.); Suspicious circum-21120 Hwy 87 (12:33 Suspicious vehicle report- dent reported on Hwy 84 stances reported at 1033



Domestic complaint before, Little Bean is quite From time to time since rather than a dog.

> This has been further a cup. proven recently in the way Recently, Lou Lou realized water!

stops resulted in six written Lou Lou and Sister quickly the house. warnings, one verbal warn- put some water in a Solo

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As Cuzin Lou Lou has cup, and Bean drank from it. shared many, many times She was immediately better. spoiled...and she truly then, the same process has believes she is a human been repeated...if Bean coughs, she gets water from

Bean prefers to drink her that if Bean had a cup of water available to her...she Sometime back, Bean was would always drink from it coughing. She needed a sip rather than her bowl. Thus, Suspicious circumstances of water to help her, but she an experiment began. Sister reported at 816 Putnam St refused to drink from her placed a cup of water next (9:54 p.m.). Eight traffic water bowl at the time. So, to Bean's bowl of water in

It has not failed...Bean drinks from the cup until all the water is gone before she will even consider drinking from her bowl!

On Tuesday of this week, even Papa got in on the action. At lunch he told Lou Lou that he noticed earlier that morning that Bean's water cup was empty. Her bowl still had plenty of water in it, but he said she kept going to the cup looking for water.

Papa refilled the cup, and sure enough, he said Bean immediately began drinking water from it!

"She thinks she has to have her water the same way we do," was Lou Lou's only explanation for a very amused Papa. "She doesn't realize she's a dog!"

The water cup is almost as bad as the little monster insisting on being fed one of her chicken-wrapped sweet potatoes before she will eat her lunch or supper daily. She will sit next to her treat box and stare at everyone until someone gives in and provides a sweet potato for her to devour.

She promptly eats the sweet potato, and then she will walk over to her plate of food and eat it as well...but, the food gets completely snubbed until she's had that sweet potato first.

It's definitely an adventure with the little monster, and she is the queen bee at the Yonder Gang's house. Even Sister will acknowledge losing that title to the Bean! Until next time... God

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COURTNEY JUSTIN TILLIS

Mr. Courtney Justin Tillis, age 36, died Saturday,

May 20, 2023. He was born June 9, 1986 to Charlie and Linda Tillis

of Opp, Ala. He attended Kinston Elementary

School, Elba City Schools, and later moved to Opp High School, where graduated in 2003. Courtney attended Lurleen and later furthered his B. Wallace College in Opp, education at Enterprisewhere he studied welding, Ozark Community Colas well as industrial elec- lege where he obtained his tronics. He was an active A&P licensing. His career Elba recently was named to member of the Rose and afforded him the opportu- the President's List at LBW Sharon Masonic Lodge of nity to work at Huntsville, Community College for the

held Sunday, May 28, 2023, many acquaintances, which at Oak Grove Missionary Baptist Church, Elba, with

in death by his paternal Home in Elba. Burial will grandparents, Charlie and follow in Evergreen Cem-Catherine Tillis of Opp; etery under the direction and maternal grandparents, of Hayes Funeral Home. Oliver Howard of Florida, Visitation will be at Hayes and Doris Thomas of New Funeral Home on Satur-

son: K. Isaac Tillis (Joi by his father, Lenard Har-Rhymes); daughter: Bradli grove. LeGear (LaKisha LeGear), Survivors include his special friend: Jessica Ro- mother: Vivian Hargrove, driguez and their unborn Elba; daughter: Katie Lynn twins; two brothers: David Hargrove, Geneva, Ala., Mims, Charlie (April) Til-sisters: Beverly (Paul) Free, lis; one sister: Crystal Tillis; nephews: Sean Oates, (Terry Glyn) Kersey, Troy, Devin Mims, Charlie R. Ala.; nephews: Jared Paul Tillis III; nieces: Taylor Free, Ponchatoula, Terry Mims, Sienna Tillis, Alay- Glyn Kersey II and Max sia Robinson; along with Len Kersey, both of Troy; many uncles, aunts, cous- and a niece: Ashlee Brooke ins, and friends.

GEORGE ALBERT WALKER

Mr. George Albert Walker, age 77, of Elba, Ala., died Sunday, May 14, 2023.

born on August 19, 1945 George and Laura Ann Walker



Albert worked over 30 years at Opp Micolas Cottry. After the mill closed, he studied and went back to school to get his CDL license. He was proud of this accomplishment because he only completed 9th grade while in school. He drove trucks for several years before retiring.

At an early age he joined New Zion Baptist Church where he served until his death. He was a Masonic Brother and an active member of The Bros Club.

Funeral services were held Thursday, May 18, 2023, from the Chapel of Coleman Funeral Home of Elba.

Albert was preceded in death by his mother and father, George and Laura Ann Walker; his sister, Anna Mae Abbott; his brother, Deacon Willie James Walker; his in-laws, Fred and Eva Mae Flowers; his grandson, Nicholas; and a host of brothers and sisters in law.

Survivors include the love of his life and devoted wife of 57 years: Annie Walker, Elba; his children: Bobby Jordan (Gayle), and Chequita Walker, both of Elba, Jennifer Walker, Atlanta, Ga., Yolanda Coleman (Steven), Troy, Ala., Ron Ellis (Takisha), York, SC; Rozalyn Miller (Patrick), Enterprise, Ala.; his grandchildren: Lakia, Amber, Josiah, Appleonia, Daneesha, Quan, Jarron, Jania, Gabrielle, Keon, Zachariah, Jamilya, and Wesley; his uncle Sammy Coleman, aunt Vernella Carmicheal, and a special niece Rita Smith and great nephew Aaron Smith; along with a host of nieces, nephews and cousins.

JUSTICE HUNTER HARGROVE

Mr. Justice Hunter Hargrove, age 42, a resident of Elba, Ala., died Friday,

June 2, 2023, at Princeton Baptist Medical Center in Birmingham, Ala. after an extended fight

with Guillain-Barre syndrome.

Hunter was a 1999 graduate of Elba High School, Fort Rucker, and the Shelby Funeral services were County Airport alongside later became close friends.

Funeral services will be 2023, at 2 p.m., from the of college-level work. Courtney was preceded Chapel of Hayes Funeral day from 12:30 to 2 p.m. Survivors include his He was preceded in death

Ponchatoula, La., Shannon Kersey, Troy.

DANNY LEE WEEKS

Mr. Danny Lee Weeks, age 51, of New Brockton, Ala., died Thursday, June 1, 2023, at his resi-

dence. Memorial services were held Monday,

June 5, 2023, from the Chapel of Hayes Funeral Home in Elba.

Survivors include his ton Mills while also work- son: Jeremy (Jonna) Weeks, ing in the logging indus- Andalusia, Ala.; daughters: Ashley (Morris) Childs and Heather Weeks, both of Elba; sisters: Joyce Golson,

Elba, Becky Parker, New Brockton; stepsisters: Sheila Slawson, Charlotte Smith, and Brenda Lee, all of New Brockton.

GREGG PRETTYMAN

Mr. Gregg Prettyman, age 60, of Elba, Ala., died Tuesday, June 6, 2023, at Flowers Hospital in Dothan, Ala. Funeral arrangements will be announced upon completion by Hayes Funeral Home of Elba.

Manning named to President's List at LBWCC

Lynsey Fayth Manning of Spring 2023 semester.

Requirements for the prester grade point average of 4.0 and the completion of a

CCRC Meeting set for Saturday The Coffee County Republican Club (CCRC) will meet Saturday, June 10, 8:30 am, at the Enterprise Country Club. An optional \$9 breakfast buffet will be

Everyone is invited, but RSVP's are needed to ensure enough food and seating. Contact CCRC Secretary Johnna Roberts no later than June 8 if you plan to attend and if you will be eating. For more information, contact Ed Foy at 334-494-4663.

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Mrs. Annie Walker and family

granddad, George A. Walker passed

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in May of each year as "Go when Gabe was to going to single moms.

MASTER GARDENERS

Dothan Area Botanical "The book includes several ple. It is for anyone who Gardens and was co-hosted of my letters to Gabe as wants to be more intenby the Wiregrass Master an example of these type tional or engaged with their Gardeners Association. affirmations."

Members of the Coffee County Master Gardeners written as sort of a foot- By Dad" is available for Association had a booth ball analogy as it is broken purchase through most and demonstrated how down into four quarters. bookstores and Amazon, various containers can Jackson said the first quar- but it is also available be used to display plants. ter was from ages 0-12, for purchase in Elba at Shown in photo, from left, the second quarter included LillieAnne's and Son are Brenda Evans and Ona ages 13-18, the third quar- Exposure. around ages 23-26.

Day...A day is designated ing basketball in the yard for moms too, especially

Public Gardens" day all Starbucks as he got older, "It is a Christian book ident's list include a semes- over the United States to Jackson said it was a great in that my ultimate goal encourage the general pub- way for them to spend time for Gabe was for him to lic to visit, explore, learn, together and discuss life. be a Christian," Jackson Coleman Funeral Home di- held Saturday, June 10, minimum of 12 credit hours support and volunteer at "I wanted to be very said. "The book affirms public gardens. This event affirming of who Gabe was that moms and dads work was recently held at the as a person," Jackson said. to raise good Christian peo-

children. "Coaching By Dad" is Jackson said "Coaching

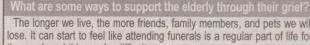
ter was ages 19-22, and "Being intentional and

the fourth quarter revolves engaged in shaping your children for good and for In the book, Dad serves God is basically what this as coach; however, Jackson book is about...it is a great is quick to point out that guide to help dads (and while he is a dad and he moms) learn how to speak wrote the book for dads, it from their heart to their can also be a good guide children," Jackson said.

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he aged, and this can be difficult. Supporting the elderly through grief and loneliness looks somewhat ifferent from supporting those who are younger. For the aged, they may ack mobility, making it difficult to leave home to be with others. They may lso have lost a spouse, partner or close friend who they could confide in

and who they depended on for support Here are some tips to help support elderly parents, family members or

riends in their grief Grief can last a long time. It doesn't end just because the cards, texts and phone calls stop coming. Make sure to continue to check in long after he outside world has moved on.

Grief may sometimes be delayed. This can apply especially to those who were caregivers for the deceased. Initially, the caretaker may fee death. It can take weeks or even months for the grief to surface. Grief can cause stress which can weaken the immune system. Make

sure your loved one is going to the doctor for checkups. Find time for meaningful conversations. Many times, those that visit elderly friends and relatives are busy and don't have time to do much more than check in on them. Setting aside some time for meaningful

conversations during a visit can go a long way Help them stay involved. Find other services to come to them if they an't get out. There are many services that can come into an elderly person's home to support them or services that can come pick them up

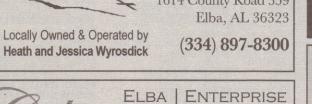
to take them to social events. The important thing to remember is to continue to reach out to the elderly

and to help them stay connected to their friends, family and community

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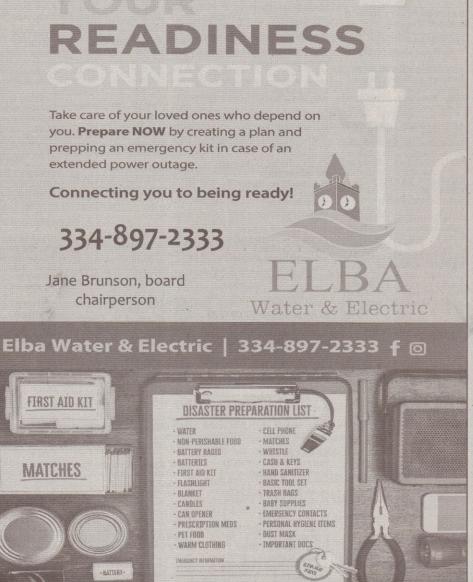
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CHURCH NEWS

PASTOR'S CORNER

by Steve Reneau, Pastor Elba United Methodist Church

I invite you to read the Gospel of Luke 17:1-10, and then read the article below.

One of the most iconic movies of the last century on Saturday, June 10. ing, June 11, during the Alice Musgrove, All is Jaws; the 1975 thriller by Steven Spielberg about a great white shark that is terrorizing the New England beach 8:30 a.m. that morning with service. town of Amity Island. In hopes of protecting the town, the VBS fun to be from All are invited to attend. police chief Martin Brody teams up with a marine biologist named Hooper and professional shark hunter Quint on the latter's boat the Orca. During one of the most famous for Whitewater Baptist Church scenes Brody is laying down a chum line to bait the shark, when we catch a glimpse of the true magnitude of the Church, located at 4301 The time will be from Anniversary creature. Brody shoots up and with as little movement as Hwy 125, Elba, has 6 p.m. until 8 p.m. each Evelyn B. Manning 7/8 possible backs into the cabin while keeping his gaze fixed upon the waters to utter to Quint the now memorable and ad-libbed line, "You're going to need a bigger boat."

forgiveness and faithful service. He tells them about how people tripping and falling into sin will happen, and they host VBS nightly June 19-23 don't need to worry about this as long as they are not the reason that someone tripped and fell into sin. He tells them what to do when someone does sin, repents, and changes their hearts and lives. He then tells them what to do if someone sins, repents, says they're going to change their lives, then sins, repents, says they're going to change their lives, and on and on and on. Jesus says, "You must forgive that person." I love the disciples' response, "Increase our faith!" In the back of my mind, I always hear the disciples' response in the same tone and cadence as Brody on the deck of the Orca. It is though after hearing the size of the task to Jesus has placed before them, the disciples step back in shock and say, "We're going to need a bigger faith!"

Jesus though lovingly responds that they don't need a bigger faith at all. Even a little faith, faith the size of a mustard seed, can move mountains or in this case mulberry trees. Jesus tells them that the size of their faith is not the problem, but instead their willingness to live out that faith. This is what he is saying at the end of our passage. This is what he means when he is talking about the servant doing their job without any thanks. Forgiving like this is not going above and beyond. It is simply what we are suppose to do for "we servants deserve no special praise. We have only done our duty."

It doesn't take long for each of us to conjure the image of that person that for whatever reason we cannot bring ourselves to forgive. What is stopping us? We don't need a bigger faith—God has given us everything we need. We just need now the willingness to use that faith. As I look back in my life in this faith, I think of the times that I have forgiven those I had previously deemed "unforgivable". I realize that never once have I regretted offering forgiveness, and I know, with God's grace, I will not regret the next time I forgive. So, in the name of Christ, I challenge us to forgive as Christ has forgiven us.

VBS set for June 18-22 at Basin Baptist

Basin Baptist Church, locat- Wednesday evenings: 5:30ed at 9757 Hwy 189 S, Elba, 8:30 p.m.; Thursday evening Ala., will host Vacation Bible [Family Night] – begins at 6 School, Sunday, June 18, p.m. through Thursday, June 22.

The VBS schedule will be children ages 3-4 through as follows: Sunday evening: 6th grade. 4:30-8:30 p.m.; Monday -

Newbia Baptist Church to host VBS on Saturday, June 10th

Vacation Bible School announced

Whitewater Baptist through June 16.

announced Vacation Bible evening. All are invited to Rev. Stanley Woodfolk 7/8 School will be held June 11 attend.

Church, located at 2200 There will be games, food County Rd. 208, Jack, Ala., and fun as all learn about will host Vacation Bible following Jesus. Ages:

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You" Vacation Bible School will be held Sunday morn- Family, Shirley Coleman, grandfather, but Jesus is Registration will be at 11 a.m. morning worship

In our passage Jesus is teaching his disciples about Jack Assembly of God set to

Jack Assembly of God ly, June 19th-23rd.

School from 6-8 p.m. night- Nursery through Teens.

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Nursing Home Patients, Thigpen, Rell Kelley, Windy Wood, N.L.C. Carlisle Church Family

Wisdom [Proverbs 9:

July Birthdays Malik Kelley 7/9 Henry Rowe 7/9

Kenya Martin 7/10 Lydia M. Kelley 7/10 Javante Deyshaun Griggs and Lot departed from Shelly Davis Jr. 7/11 (in land of Canaan?

memory) Leona Siler 7/12 Anfrenee Kelley 7/12 Curtis O. Kelley 7/13 Rita Gray 7/13

Like Father, Like Son My maternal grandfather died before I was born. I learned about him through family stories and old family albums but hearing stories and seeing old pictures are not the same thing as making my own memories with him.

One day when I told my I'd known her father, she tried to comfort me with was like her father: in their facial features, their laugh and sense of humor, and Today is a good day! Be their handiness.

know him seemed to be as close as I could get to knowing my grandfather. My uncle may have been Where Jesus Cares Fur VBS commencement N.L.C. Mt. Holly Church a close reflection of my the exact image of God the Father. We can know Harold Williams, Helen God better by reflecting on the life and words of Jesus Christ in scripture. Jesus reveals the very nature of God. - L.H-P.

with my uncle. Getting to

Questions / Answer Section Q/A for the Week of 6-8-

Answer the Questions Using Your Concordance Q: Terah, Abram, Sarai, what place to go into the

A: UR of the Chaldees [Genesis 11:31]

Q: Who gave God's instructions to Barak to take ten thousand men to fight against Sisera, the captain of Jabin's army? A: Deborah [Judges 4: 4,6]

Remember Anger is one letter away from Danger

Questions for the Week of 6/15/23

Fill in the Blanks

Q: The honor for Sisera's mother of how I wished defeat would not go to Barak, but to a

Q: At the burning bush, more stories about him. Moses was told to take off Then, she shared how his shoes because the place much her eldest brother where he was standing was

grateful. From that day forward, I Eria's Daughter, Sue

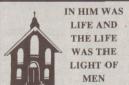
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LIFE AND THE LIFE WAS THE LIGHT OF MEN

AROUNDING GRACE Rockey Pearce, Pastor Even. Service 5:00 p.m

LIFE ABUNDANT CHURCH SAMSON, Ala. Richard Thorn Sr., Pastor Wed. Night Service .7:00 p.m.

ALBERTON BAPTIST Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Wed. Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.

BASIN BAPTIST CHURCH Sam Self, Pastor Sunday School 9:30 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 10:30 a.m. Wed. Prayer Meet. . 6:30 p.m.

BETHEL AME CHURCH Deborah A. Butler, Pastor Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m Wed Bible Study . . . 6:00 p.m. BETHLEHEM BAPTIST

Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:30 a.m. Wed. Bible Class . . 6:30 p.m. BETHANY BAPTIST

Greg Cotter, Pastor Sunday School 9:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m. Even Worship 6:30 p.m.

BAPTIST CHURCH

Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Even. Worship . . . 6:00 p.m. BROOKLYN BAPTIST Robert Davis, Pastor

Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Even. Worship . . . 6:00 p.m. Remonia Smith, Pastor

2nd & 4th Sundays . 9:00 a.m. 1st, 3rd & 5th Sundays Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. 2nd & 4th Sundays CORNERSTONE BIBLE

Sunday Worship . . 11:00 a.m. Wed. Night. 7:00 p.m.

COVENANT COMMUNITY Paul Jackson, Pastor Week & meal 5:30 p.m. Bible Study & Prayer . . . 6:15

DAMASCUS BAPTIST CHURCH

Discipleship Training 5:00

Even. Worship 6:00 p.m. Wed Prayer Meet . . 7:00 p.m. EANON BAPTIST Wed. Bible Study . . 6:15 p.m.

Philip Box, Minister
9:00 a.m. Bible Study 9:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m.

ELBA CHURCH OF GOD Even. Worship. . . . 5:00 p.m.

OF PROPHECY Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m.

Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.

Sunday Night . . . 6:00 p.m.

Thur. Night 7:00 p.m.

ELBA DELIVERANCE TABERNACLE Allen Richards, Pastor Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 5:00 p.m.

ELBA 1st ASSEMBLY OF GOD Dwight Johnson, Pastor Sunday School . . . 9:30 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 10:30 a.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Wed. Service 6:30 p.m.

ELBA FIRST BAPTIST Kit Johnson, Pastor Sunday School . . . 9:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m.

ELBA UNITED METHODIST CHURCH Steve Reneau, Pastor Sunday School . . . 9:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m. Wed. Bible Study . . 6:00 p.m.

ELBA ZION BAPTIST CHURCH Lovell Martin, Pastor Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship . . 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m.

Sunday Fellowship . 9:30 a.m. Sunday Worship . . . 10:00 a.m. Wed. Night "Peak of the

Come join the fun.

There will be classes for

Steve Watson, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.
Worship 6:00 p.m. Wed Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.

DORCAS BAPTIST

Mark Ward, Pastor Sunday School . . . 10:30 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.

BAPTIST CHURCH

W. K. Ellison, Pastor Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. HAM UNITED

> HAW HILL ASSEMBLY OF GOD Mark Cooper, Pastor Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.

HOLY TEMPLE COGIC Glenwood, AL Sunday Prayer 9:30 a.s

Timothy Williams, Pastor Sunday School . . . 10:30 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:30 a.m. Wed. Bible Study . . 6:00 p.m. FAIRVIEW BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Wed. Prayer Meet 7:30 p.m.

COMMUNITY CHURCH Phillip Adcock, Pastor Sunday Morning . . 10:30 a.m. Sunday Evening . . . 5:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Service 7:00 p.m.

EVANGELIST TEMPLE CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

1st ASSEMBLYS OF GOD . Danny Bradshaw, Pastor Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Wed. Bible Study . . 7:00 p.m. FRIENDSHIP BAPTIST

Scott Donaldson, Pastor

FRIENDSHIP HOLINESS Edward E. Drake, Pastor

Sunday Evening . . . 5:00 p.m. GODS POWER HOUSE EVANGELISTIC CHURCH Overseers - Billy Berry Sat. Service 6:00 p.m. Sun. Service 10:00 a.m. Even. Service 4:00 p.m.

GRACE FELLOWSHIP John Curtis Isaacs, Pastor Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Wed. Service 7:00 p.m.

Wed. Bible Study. . 6:00 p.m.

Wed. Service 6:00 p.m. METHODIST CHURCH Rev. Steve Reneau, Pastor Morn. Worship 8:45 a.m.

Shirlie Ellis, Pastor Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Wed. Prayer Meet . .7:00 p.m. HEBRON BAPT, CHURCH

Heath Fountain, Pastor

Morn. Worship 10:00 a.m Sunday School 9:00 a.m. Even. Service 5:00 p.m. LIVING WORD CHURCH Derrick Stinson, Pastor

Greg Hanchey, Minister

LOVE'S WAY CHURCH Charles Jones, Pastor Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.

MT. GILEAD BAPTIST CHURCH Dewey Emfinger, Pastor

MT. OLIVE BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 5:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meeting 7:00 p.m.

INO ASSEMBLY OF GOD Wesley D. Ard, Pastor Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. Wed Prayer Meeting 6:30 p.m

INO BAPTIST CHURCH Garry Winstead, Pastor Sunday School 8:45 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m. Wed. Prayer Meeting 6:30 p.m. JACK ASSEMBLY OF GOD

Matthew Morris, Pastor
Sunday School . . . 9:00 a.m.
Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m. KINSTON 1st BAPT

Thurs. Service . . . 6:00 p.m. LIBERTY CHURCH OF Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 5:00 p.m.

MT. CALVARY BAPTIST J. R. Parks, Pastor Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. 1st & 3rd Sundays

Sunday Evening . . . 5:00 p.m. Wed. Service 5:00 p.m.

MT. ZION BAPTIST Will Jordan, Pastor Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.

Church Directory MT. VERNON ASSEMBLY

> Cathedral of the Holy Spirit NEW ABUNDANT LIFE DEL. Linda Williams, Pastor

NEW JERUSALEM CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST - ENTERPRISE W. K. Ellison, Pastor
Morning Worship . 9:00 a.m.
Evening Worship . 6:00 p.m.
Tuesday Evening . 7:00 p.m.
Friday Evening . . 7:00 p.m.

NEWBIA BAPTIST Ed Russell, Pastor

NEW BROCKTON Dr. Craig Bailey, Pastor NEW CHAPEL BAPTIST CHURCH

NEW EBENEZER Randall Pearson, Pastor

NEW GLORIOUS COGIC James Starks Jr., Pastor Sunday School ... 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship ... 11:00 a.m.

NEW HAVEN ASSEMBLY Brad Sasser, Pastor

CHURCH Sunday School . . . 9:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . 10:00 a.m. Even. Service 5:00 p.m.

OAK GROVE BAPTIST Julian Mitchell, Pastor

Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m PERDUE ASSEMBLY OF GOD

BLY OF GOD - SAMSON

PRAISE & GLORY WORSHIP CENTER

CHURCH

James Boots, Pastor SHILOH BAPTIST CHURCH

Wed. Even. Service 6:30 p.m. NEW HOPE BAPT

NEW PHILADELPHIA CHURCH OF GOD IN Lorearl Flowers, Minister

PINEY GROVE ASSEM-Terry McCrummen, Pastor

Roy L. Turner, Pastor Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Wed. Service 6:30 p.m. ROCKY HEAD M.B. A. R. Williams, Pastor

2nd & 4th Sundays ROETON BAPTIST Kerry Saxon, Pastor Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship ... 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Even. Service 6:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meet . 7:00 p.m.

> Wed. Bible Study . . 6:00 p.m Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Even. Service 4:00 p.m. Wed. Prayer Meet . 6:30 p.m.

TAYLOR HILLCOMMUNITY

SHADY GROVE AME

BAPTIST CHURCH Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. Wed. Night Service 5:00 p.m. THE CHURCH OF **JESUS CHRIST** Pastor Bishop E.H. Hill Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m. Youth Ser. Mon. .. Wed Bible Class. .

TRINITY BAPTIST C.P. Davis, Pastor

Wed. Night Service 6:00 p.m.

WESTSIDE BAPTIST Ken Wilson, Pastor

WOODLAND GROVE Donnie Marler, Pastor

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Sunday School . . . 9:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.

1st, - 4th Sun. Morn. Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m. ED METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday School 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.

Terry Godwin, Pastor

Wed. Prayer Meet . 6:00 p.m Sunday School . . . 9:45 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m.

NEW HAVEN BAPTIST CHURCH Allen Dieas, Pastor Sunday School 9:00 a.m. Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m.

CHURCH, Elba

Wed. Night Service 6:00 p.m

CHURCH

VICTORY TABERNACLE Ruby Lawson, Pastor Morn. Worship . . 10:30 a.m.

WHITEWATER BAPTIST

CHURCH

Sunday School . . . 9:00 a.m Morn. Worship . . . 10:00 a.m

Wed. Prayer Meet . 6:30 p. m OF GOD Dustin Wisecarver, Pastor Sunday School . . . 10:00 a.m Morn. Worship . . . 11:00 a.m

ASSEMBLY OF GOD

ZION CHAPEL BAPTIST

Annual Drinking Water Quality Report Jack Water System, Inc. January-December 2022

Last year, as in years past, your tap water met all U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (USEPA) and the Alabama Department of Environmental Management (ADEM) drinking water health standards. Your local water officials vigilantly safeguard its water supplies and once again we are proud to report that our system has not violated a maximum contaminant level or any other water quality standards. We're pleased to present to you this year's Annual Drinking Water Quality Report. This report is designed to inform you about the quality water and services we deliver to you every day. Our constant goal is to provide you with a safe and dependable supply of drinking water. We want you to understand the efforts we make to continually improve the water treatment process and protect our water resources. We are committed to ensuring the quality of your water. Our water source is one groundwater well. The water we supply comes from the Clayton Aquifer. The Jack Water System also purchases water from the Pike County Water Authority. The Pike County Water Authority utilizes groundwater pumped from seven wells out of the Ripley Aquifer and the Tuscaloosa Aquifer. The water we provide to our customers requires no specialized treatment. However, chlorine is added to the water for disinfection purposes. This ensures the quality of water throughout our distribution system.

The Jack Water System routinely completes a water storage facility inspection plan and utilizes a Bacteriological Monitoring Plan and a Cross Connection Policy is in place to insure good safe drinking water for our customers. The Jack Water System and Pike County Water Authority have both completed a Source Water Assessment Plan which is available at our offices for review. This report provides information about potential sources of contamination and is set up to help protect our source.

We want our valued customers to be informed about their water utility. If you want to learn more, please attend any of our regularly scheduled Board meetings. They are held on the first Monday of each month at the Zion Chapel Senior Citizens located at Highway 87 North, in Jack, and begin at 7:00 p.m.

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Important Drinking Water Definitions:

Action Level (AL) - The concentration of a contaminant that triggers treatment or other requirements that a water system shall follow.

Maximum Contaminant Level (MCL) - The highest level of a contaminant that is allowed in drinking water. MCLs are set as close to the MCLGs as feasible using the best avail-

Maximum Contaminant Level Goal (MCLG) - The level of a contaminant in drinking water below, which there is no known or expected risk to health. MCLGs allow for a margin Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level (MRDL) - The highest level of a disinfectant allowed in drinking water. There is convincing evidence that addition of a disinfectant is

necessary for control of microbial contaminants.

Maximum Residual Disinfectant Level Goal (MRDLG) - The level of a drinking water disinfectant below which there is no known or expected risk to health. MRDLGs do not reflect the benefits of the use of disinfectants to control microbial contaminants.

Millirems per year (mrem/yr) - Measure of radiation absorbed by the body.

Nephelometric Turbidity Unit (NTU) - Nephelometric turbidity unit is a measure of the clarity of water. Turbidity in excess of 5 NTU is just noticeable to the average person. Parts per million (ppm) or Milligrams per liter (mg/L) - One part per million corresponds to one minute in two years or a single penny in \$10,000. Parts per billion (ppb) or Micrograms per liter (µg/L) - One part per billion corresponds to one minute in 2,000 years, or a single penny in \$10,000,000. Parts per trillion (ppt) or Nanograms per liter (ng/L) - One part per trillion corresponds to one minute in 2,000,000 years, or a single penny in

Parts per quadrillion (ppq) or Picograms per liter (pg/L) - One part per quadrillion corresponds to one minute in 2,000,000,000 years or one penny in

\$10,000,000,000,000.

Picocuries per liter (pCi/L) - Picocuries per liter is a measure of the radioactivity in water.

Treatment Technique (TT) - A required process intended to reduce the level of a contaminant in drinking water.

Threshold Odor Number (T.O.N.) - The greatest dilution of a sample with odor-free water that still yields a just-detectable odor.

Variances & Exemptions - ADEM or EPA permission not to meet an MCL or a treatment technique under certain conditions.

Explanation of reasons for variance/exemptions:

Based on a study conducted by ADEM with the approval of the EPA a statewide waiver for the monitoring of asbestos and dioxin was issued. Thus, monitoring for these contaminants was not required. The Jack Water System and the Pike County Water Authority routinely monitor for contaminants in your drinking water according to Federal and State laws. Unless otherwise noted, the data presented in the following tables show the results of our monitoring period of January 1st to December 31st, 2022.

GENERAL INFORMATION

All drinking water, including bottled drinking water, may be reasonably expected to contain at least small amounts of some contaminants. It's important to remember that the presence of these contaminants does not necessarily pose a health risk. The EPA or ADEM requires us to monitor for certain contaminants less than once per year because the con-

			-					ce of any primary contaminant detection		T .1	Pike Coun
CONTAMINANT	MCL	Jack	Pike County	CONTAMINANT	MCL	Jack	Pike County	CONTAMINANT	MCL	Jack	
Bacteriological				Selenium(ppb)	50	ND		Epichlorohydrin	TT	ND	ND -
Fotal Coliform Bacteria	<5%	ND	ND	Thallium(ppb)	2	ND ·	ND	Ethylbenzene(ppb)	700	ND	ND
Turbidity	TT	0.30	ND	Organic Chemicals				Ethylene dibromide(ppt)	50	ND	ND
Fecal Coliform & E. coli	0	ND	ND	Acrylamide	TT	ND	ND	Glyphosate(ppb)	700	ND	ND
Radiological				Alachlor(ppb)	2	ND	ND	Haloacetic Acids(ppb)	60	ND.	1.75
Beta/photon emitters (mrem/yr)	4	ND	ND	Atrazine(ppb)	3	ND	ND	Heptachlor(ppt)	400	ND	ND
Alpha emitters (pci/l)	15	.380+/783	ND	Benzene(ppb)	5	ND	ND .	Heptachlor epoxide(ppt)	200	ND	ND
Combined radium (pci/l)	5	.527+/386	0.60	Benzo(a)pyrene[PHAs](ppt)	200	ND	ND	Hexachlorobenzene(ppb)	1	ND	· ND
Uranium(pci/l)	30	ND	ND	Carbofuran(ppb)	40	ND	ND	Hexachlorocyclopentadiene(ppb)	50	ND	ND
Inorganic				Carbon Tetrachloride(ppb)	5	ND	ND	Lindane(ppt)	200	ND	ND
Antimony (ppb)	. 6	ND	ND	Chlordane(ppb)	2	ND	ND	Methoxychlor(ppb)	40	ND	ND'
Arsenic (ppb)	10 -	0.0015	0.027	Chlorobenzene(ppb)	100	ND	ND	Oxamyl [Vydate](ppb)	200	ND	ND
Asbestos (MFL)	7	ND	ND	2,4-D	70	ND	ND	Pentachlorophenol(ppb)	1	ND	ND
Barium (ppm)	2	0.0190	0.0954	Dalapon(ppb)	200	ND	ND	Picloram(ppb)	500	ND	ND
Beryllium (ppb)	4	ND	ND	Dibromochloropropane(ppt)	200	ND	ND	PCBs(ppt)	500	ND	ND
Bromate(ppb)	10	ND	ND	0-Dichlorobenzene(ppb)	600	ND	ND	Simazine(ppb)	4	ND	ND
Cadmium (ppb)	5	ND	ND	p-Dichlorobenzene(ppb)	75	ND	ND	Styrene(ppb)	100	ND	ND
Chloramines(ppm)	4	ND	ND	1,2-Dichloroethane(ppb)	5	ND	ND	Tetrachloroethylene(ppb)	5	ND	ND
Chlorine(ppm)	4	1.76	.2.93	1,1-Dichloroethylene(ppb)	7	ND	ND	Toluene(ppm)	1	ND	ND
Chlorine dioxide(ppb)	800	ND	ND	Cis-1,2-Dichloroethylene(ppb)	70	ND	ND	TOC	TT	ND	ND
Chlorite(ppm)	1	ND	ND	trans-1,2-Dichloroethy lene(ppb)	100	ND	ND	TTHM(ppb)	80	ND	14.30
Chromium (ppb)	100	ND	ND	Dichloromethane(ppb)	5	ND	ND	Toxaphene(ppb)	3	ND	ND
Copper (ppm)	AL=1.3	0.06	0.109	1,2-Dichloropropane(ppb)	5	ND	ND .	2,4,5-TP (Silvex)(ppb)	50	ND	ND
Cyanide (ppb)	200	ND	ND	Di-(2-ethylhexyl)adipate(ppb)	400	. ND	ND	1,2,4-Trichlorobenzene(ppb)	70	ND	ND '
Fluoride (ppm)	4	ND	2.06	Di(2-ethylhexyl)phthlates(ppb)	6	ND	ND	1,1,1-Trichloroethane(ppb)	200	ND	ND
Lead (ppb)	AL=15	ND	1.40	Dinoseb(ppb)	7	ND	ND	1,1,2-Trichloroethane(ppb)	5	ND	ND
Mercury (ppb)	2	ND	ND	Dioxin[2,3,7,8-TCDD](ppq)	30	ND	ND	Trichloroethylene(ppb)	5	ND	ND
Nitrate (ppm)	10	ND	0.036	Diquat(ppb)	20	ND	ND	Vinyl Chloride(ppb)	2	ND	ND
Nitrite (ppm)	1	ND	ND	Endothall(ppb)	100	ND	ND	Xylenes(ppm)	10	ND	ND
Total Nitrate & Nitrite	10	ND	0.036	Endrin(ppb)	2	ND	0.13	Endrin	2	ND	0.13

water standards.	MCL		ke County	CONTAMINANT	MCL	Jack	Pike County	CONTAMINANT	MCL	Jack	Pike County
00,111				Se	condary						
Aluminum	0.2	ND	0.05	Foaming Agents	0.5	ND	ND	Silver	7	ND	ND
Chloride	250	2.90	18.00	Iron	0.3	0.14	0.509	Sulfate	250	10.6	37.2
Color (PCU)	15	5.00	11.00	Magnesium	75	7.90	5.19	Total Dissolved Solids	500	195	250
Copper	1	0.0014	0.145	Odor (T.O.N.)	5	ND	ND	Zinc	5	ND	0.0149
					Special						
Calcium	N/A	60.10	48.50	pH(SU)	N/A	7.80	8.70	Temperature (*C)	N/A	40.6	ND
Carbon Dioxide	N/A	6.6	22.4	Sodium	N/A	2.30	127.00	Total Alkalinity	N/A	179	0.255
Manganese	0.05	0.023	0.0060	Specific Conductance (umhos)	<500	325.00	527.00	Total Hardness (as CaCO3)	N/A	174	0.115
				Un	regulated						
1,1 - Dichloropropene	N/A	ND	ND	Bromobenzene	N/A	ND	ND	Hexachlorobutadiene	N/A	ND	ND
1,1,2,2-Tetrachloroethane	N/A	ND	ND	Bromochloromethane	N/A	ND	ND	Isoprpylbenzene	N/A	ND	ND
1.1-Dichloroethane	N/A	ND	ND	Bromodichloromethane	N/A	ND	- 0.35000	M-Dichlorobenzene	N/A	ND	ND
1.2.3 - Trichlorobenzene	N/A	ND -	ND	Bromoform	N/A	ND	ND	Methomyl	N/A	ND	ND
1.2,3 - Trichloropropane	N/A	ND	ND	Bromomethane	N/A	ND	ND	Metolachlor	N/A	ND	ND
1.2.4 - Trimethylbenzene	N/A	ND	ND	Butachlor	N/A	ND	ND	Metribuzin	N/A	ND	. ND
1.2.4-Trichlorobenzene	N/A	ND	ND	Carbaryl	N/A	ND	ND	MTBE	N/A	ND	ND
1.3 - Dichloropropane	N/A	ND	ND	Chloroethane	N/A	ND	ND	N - Butylbenzene	N/A	ND	ND
1.3 - Dichloropropene	N/A	ND	ND	Chlorodibromomethane	N/A	ND	ND	Naphthalene	N/A	ND	ND
1,3,5 - Trimethylbenzene	N/A	ND	ND	Chloroform	N/A	ND	0.77000	N-Propylbenzene	N/A	ND	ND
2.2 - Dichloropropane	N/A	ND	ND	Chloromethane	N/A	ND	ND	O-Chlorotoluene	N/A	ND	ND
3-Hydroxycarbofuran	N/A	ND	ND	Dibromochloromethane	N/A	ND	0.07	P-Chlorotoluene	N/A	ND	ND
Aldicarb	N/A	ND	ND	Dibromomethane	N/A	ND	ND	P-Isopropyltoluene	N/A	ND	ND
Aldicarb Sulfone	N/A	ND	ND	Dichlorodifluoromethane	N/A	ND	ND	Propachlor	N/A	ND	ND
Aldicarb Sulfoxide	N/A	ND	ND	Dieldrin	N/A	ND	ND	Sec - Butylbenzene	N/A	ND	ND
Aldrin	N/A	ND	ND	Fluorotrichloromethan	N/A	ND	ND	Tert - Butylbenzene	N/A	ND	ND

			labi	e of Dete	cted Dri		er Contaminants		
CONTAMINANT	MCLG	MCL		Range		Jack	Amount Detected	Likely Source of Contamination	
			Ba	cteriological	Contamin	THE RESERVE OF THE PERSON NAMED IN COLUMN 2 IN COLUMN	ry - December 2022		
urbidity	0	TT				0.30	NTU	Soil runoff	
/iruses, Giardia	0	TT				0	Present or Absent	Human and animal fecal waste	
egionella	0	TT				0	Present or Absent	Found naturally in water, multiplies in heating system	
			F	Radiological (Contamina	nts January	y - December 2021		
Beta particle and photon	. 0	4				ND	mrem/yr	Decay of natural and man-made deposits	
Alpha emitters	0	15				.380+/783	pCi/L	Erosion of natural deposits	
Combined Radium 226 &									
28	0	5				.527+/386	pCi/L	Erosion of natural deposits	
ranium	0	30				ND	pCi/L	Erosion of natural deposits	
				Inorganic C	ontaminant	s January	- December 2022		
								Erosion of natural deposits; runoff from orchards	
		18 19 E	ND	SCHOOL S	0.0015	0.0015		runoff from glass and electronics production	
Arsenic	0	10		-			ppb	wastes	
Machie						0.0100		Discharge of drilling wastes; discharge from metal	
Barium	2	2	ND		0.0180	0.0180	ppm	refineries; erosion of natural deposits	
Chlorine	MRDLG4	MRDL4	1.00	-	1.76	1.76	ppm	Water additive used to control microbes	
		10 Sites	No. of S	Sites above act	ion level	0.060		Corrosion of household plumbing systems; erosion o	
Copper	1.3	AL=1.3		0		0.060	ppm	natural deposits; leaching from wood preservatives	
				Secondary C	ontaminant	s Januar	y - December 2022		
	27/4	250	ND		2.90	2.90	ppm	Naturally occurring in the environment or as a	
Chloride	N/A	250	ND		2.90	2.90	ppm	result of agricultural runoff	
	NVA	15	ND		5.00	5.00	PCU	Naturally occurring in the environment or as a	
Color	N/A	15	ND		5.00	. 3.00	100	result of treatment with water additives	
Copper	N/A	1	ND		0.0014	0.0014	ppm	Erosion of natural deposits; leaching from	
Iron	N/A	0.3	ŅD		0.14	0.14	ppm	Erosion of natural deposits	
Magnesium	N/A	ND	ND		7.90	7.90	ppm	Erosion of natural deposits	
Sulfate	N/A	250	ND		10.60	10.60	ppm	Naturally occurring in the environment	
Total Dissolved Solids	N/A	500	ND		195.00	195.00	ppm	Erosion of natural deposits	
TOTAL PROPERTY.				Special Co	ntaminants	January -	December 2022		
Calcium	N/A	N/A	ND		56.40	56.40	ppm	Erosion of natural deposits	
Carbon Dioxide	N/A	N/A	ND	-	5.10	5.10	ppm	Erosion of natural deposits	
Manganese	N/A	N/A	ND	-	0.022	0.022	ppm	Erosion of natural deposits	
ivi aligniese	14/11	1011						Naturally occurring in the environment or as a	
pH	N/A	N/A	ND	-	7.80	7.80	SU	result of treatment with water additives	
Sodium	N/A	N/A	ND		2.30	2.30	ppm	Naturally occurring in the environment	
Sodium					78000000			Naturally occurring in the environment or as a	
Specific Conductance	N/A	<500	ND	-	325.00	325.00	umhos	result of treatment with water additives	
Total Alkalinity .	N/A	N/A	ND	- Total	179.00	179.00	ppm	Erosion of natural deposits	
10tai Aikainity					Mark Sales			Naturally occurring in the environment or as a	
Total Hardness (as CaCO3)	N/A	N/A	ND	-	174.00	174.00	ppm	result of treatment with water additives	

centrations of these contaminants do not change frequently. The sources of drinking water (both tap water and bottled water) include rivers, lakes, streams, ponds, reservoirs, springs, and wells. As water travels over the surface of the land or through the ground, it dissolves naturally occurring minerals and radioactive material, and it can pick up substances resulting from the presence of animals or from

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The Elba High School Golf program hosted the Elba Country Club Boys Junior Open tournament last week at the Country Club.

There were three age divisions for the event: Ages 12-13, Ages 14-15 and Ages

The overall winner/low medalist for the event was Elba's own Trace Grantham. He shot a 72 on the day. He also was the Age 16-17 first place winner (photo on the front page).

Coming in 2nd for the Age 16-17 boys was Coy Ingram with a 73, and 3rd went to Conner Machen with an 86 on on the day.

In the Age 14-15 group, 1st place went to Caden Machen with a course score of 79. Coming in 2nd was Bordy Ellis with an 83, and 3rd place went to Clay Kyser with a score of 84.

For the boys ages 12-13, 1st place winner was Cam Kyser with a score of 86.





Cam Kyser receives his first place trophy for the Age 12-13 division from Elba boys golf coach Mark Wicker.



Caden Machen receives his first place trophy for the Age 14-15 division from Elba boys golf coach Mark Wicker.



ATTENTION OXYGEN Powell Bane receives his 2nd place tro- for the Age 14-15 division from Elba boys THERAPY USERS! phy for the Age 12-13 division from Elba



Brody Ellis receives his 2nd place trophy golf coach Mark Wicker.



Coy Ingram receives his 2nd place trophy for the Age 16-17 division from Elba boys golf coach Mark Wicker.

Not Pictured: **Cooper Robley** 3rd place winner for the Age 12-13 division.

RIGHT: Conner Machen receives his 3rd place trophy for the Age 16-17 division from Elba boys golf coach Mark Wicker.



Clay Kyser receives his 3rd place trophy for the Age 14-15 division from Elba boys golf coach Mark Wicker.



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IN THE MATTER 6/1,8&15-pd.

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against said estate are hereby required to present the same within the time allowed by law or the same will be forever barred. Witness my hand this the IN THE PROBATE 25th day of May 2023.

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SPORTS NEWS

Views From The Pressbox By Ricky Mularz, Sports Editor

While our grandson Lawson is enjoying his summer break before he heads off to junior high, our youngest grandson Cannon will soon get to enjoy the summer a little more as his Mom will not have to work on Fridays, which means he will get to have Mom home three days a week. See, age means nothing when it is time for summer break!

For what it is worth....

*** Many years high school football fans have to buy a program early in the season to know what number the players are wearing, but this year at New Brockton High School school officials may have to print out a map just so the coaching staff will know which direction to go and where their classrooms are. When the new school year starts in August the Gamecocks will have new head coaches in football, basketball, volleyball and softball! to lead the basketball program a few weeks back, the other vacancies were filled last week when Dawn Ezell was named the new volleyball coach and Gary Ray was named to lead the softball program. Barnett brings years of experience to the football program, but the other three new head coaches will be taking over the reins of a high school team for the first time in their career and will have softball team held its Average - Danielle Tew to learn with their teams as the seasons progress. It looks annual 'Awards Banquet' and Emily Richardson; like a 'really' new year in sports over at 'Brockton.

*** What has been called the most significant rules and honored the student- Jadyn Caldwell. change in high school basketball since the 'three-point athletes that helped the arc' will take part this season when teams will shoot two Lady Tigers post a winning went to Hillary Hudson free-throws for all common fouls when the team is in the record and earn a trip to the bonus. The change will do away with the 'one-and-one' South Region for the first free throw opportunities and make all free-throw visits time in five years. two-shots once the team's opponent has committed five second in the Area standings A'Lyric Whitfield – Most fouls in a quarter. The foul total will reset at the beginning with a 6-2 record to advance Versatile; Sinia Smedley of every quarter and do away with a player going to the to the South Region, where line with the pressure of having to make the front end it placed fifth in the eight- Day - Ms. Clutch Award; of a one-and-one free-throw to earn a second shot. The team event with one win in Destinee Tidwell - Top NFHS, the governing body of high school sports, stated three games. the change would make the game safer as it would do away Awards based upon - Lady Tiger Award; Keelie with rougher play for rebounds, and would also improve statistics included: Big Bat Moseley - Game Changer the flow of the game since fouls would not carry over from Award - Emily Richardson Award; Zaniyah Mitchell quarter to quarter. While it seems to me the change would and Ana Caldwell; Best Attitude; and, Haylee favor the team that is leading on the scoreboard, only time will tell as coaches will always try to figure out ways to gain an advantage over their opponents.

*** The Southeastern Conference met with its member schools last week and after a yearlong discussion agreed to a temporary solution to the soon-to-be 16-team conference by adopting an eight-game conference schedule. The plan is a one-year solution as the SEC continues to decide how it will go forward in 2024 when the league expands to 16 teams with the addition of Texas and Oklahoma. If the new plan survives, each team will play every other team in the conference every two years, with one team remaining on the schedule on an annual basis. The change would keep Alabama and Auburn on a yearly schedule, but would move the Tide's age-old rivalry with Tennessee to every other year, as would the Tigers oldest rivalry contest against Georgia. Another change would do away with the conference divisions, with the top two teams moving on to the conference championship. I honestly think most fans ELBA SOFTBALL AWARD WINNERS.... Included of Alabama and Auburn will still get just as excited as before of their games against Tennessee and Georgia are played every year, or every other year, and may actually help to give the teams a break from the always rugged SEC regular season schedule.

*** In closing... Former Elba Tiger standout and veteran football coach Jetey Wise will be back in the Wiregrass area this year as an assistant coach at G.W. Long High School. Coach Wise has been the head coach at both Slocomb and Red Level during his career, as well as earning a state championship ring as an assistant at Lanett and most recently being on staff at 7A Smiths Station. G.W. Long has been a winner at the 2A level for years, and with Coach Wise bringing his years of experience to the program it looks like the Rebels will continue to flourish. Coach Wise began his coaching career as a Rebel at ZionChapel and is now a Rebel again at G.W. Long.

Wood Ducks begin season

The defending state hits, scored 1 run and had champion Alabama Wood 2 rbi's to lead the Ducks, Ducks opened their season while Blake Peterson last week with three games added 2 hits and scored 1 and posted a pair of wins to run, and Ty Sieving and close the week with a 2-1 Braxton Sherling both

record. only three hits to win their he tossed six innings and season opener over Chaos allowed no earned runs on 15U 2-1. Hayden Pope, six hits, while striking out Hunter White and Judd Thomas all had 1 hit for the save as he pitched one the Ducks, while Noah Jeffers and Baylon Foster both scored 1 run. Seven managed only two hits in pitchers combined for the a 6-0loss to West Georgia. win and allowed no earned Blake Peterson had both runs on four hits, while hits for the Ducks, while recording 11 strikeouts.

a 4-run fourth inning to six innings and allowed six grab the lead and held on earned runs on six hits and to defeat the Expos 16U seven walks, while striking 4-3. Josh Gutierrez had 2 out seven.

added 2 hits. Payton Green The Wood Ducks needed was the winning pitcher as 14. Hunter White picked up inning and struck out two.

The Wood Ducks Riley Simmons and Ty The Wood Ducks used Sieving combined to pitch





While Jason Barnett was named the new head football 2023 ELBA TIGER BASEBALL AWARD WINNERS... were recognized recently at the annual banquet at a local coach back in the winter and Joshua Boykin was hired restaurant. Honorees included (l-r) Brayden Johnson - Down and Dirty Award; Brady Johnson - Best All-Around Award; Kaleb Mitchell - Down and Dirty Award; Colin Arnold - Top Fielder Award; Ty Sieving - Top Hitter Award and Top Pitcher Award; Cameron Gray - Best All-Around Award; Easton McKelvey - Down and Dirt Award; and, JT Coleman - Mr. Hustle Award (not pictured).

Lady Tigers honored at softball awards banquet

recently at the Elba Theatre and, Outstanding Pitcher -

Golden Glove Award - Tucker - Ms. Slugger Ana Caldwell and Aimee Award.

The Elba Lady Tigers Senn; Highest Batting

Special recognition also Hustle Award; Taylor Wood - Most Improved; Mary Brooklyn O'Neal

Most Versatile; Taylor Teammate; Alayvia Stinson



SENIOR HONOREES.... Lady Tiger seniors were honored at the recent banquet. Pictured above are (1-r) Coach Jeff Carpenter, Coach Melissa Mularz, Emily Richardson, Aimee Senn and Coach Johnny Senn.



(l-r) Ana Caldwell, Taylor Day, Mary Brooklyn O'Neal, Zaniyah Mitchell, and Jadyn Caldwell.



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Free Fishing Day also takes place during Alabama's red snapper season. While fishing license requirements are waived for Free Fishing Day, those fishing for red snapper will still need a \$10 Gulf Reef Fish Endorsement. For more information visit www. outdooralabama.com/

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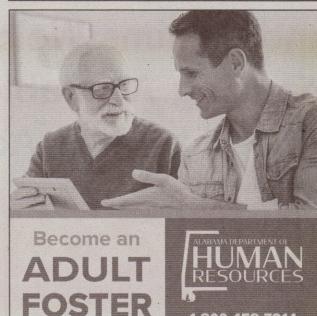
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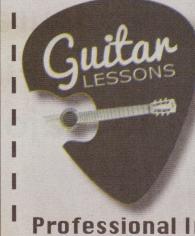
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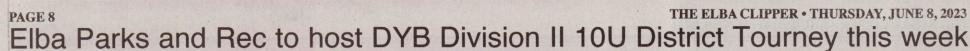
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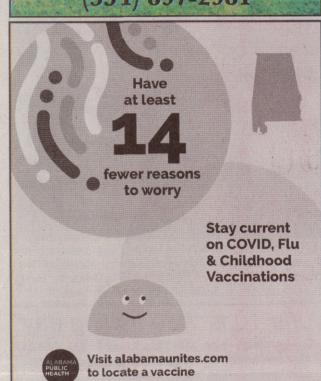
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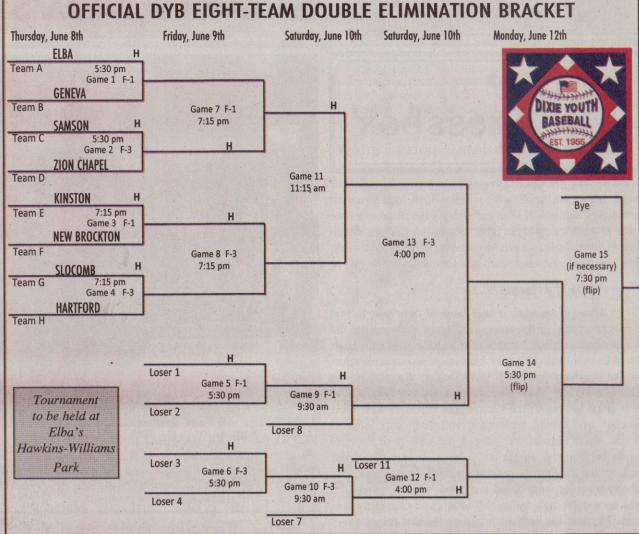
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RWCC meeting set for June 21

The Republican Women of Coffee County [RWCC] will meet Wednesday, June 21, at 11 a.m., at the Enterprise Country Club, 3000 Ozark Highway.

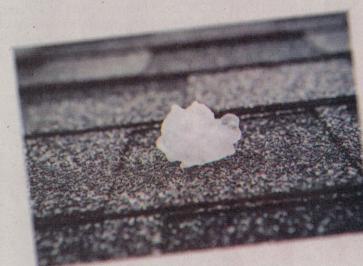
The guest speakers will be Mariah Montgomery, director of Downtown Main Street, Enterprise, and her intern, Clay Newscom. They will discuss downtown's mission and volunteer opportunities. RWCC will also be playing RWCC Bingo, a game which uses current events and political issues/ figures instead of numbers.

Social time begins at 11; an optional \$12 buffet begins at 11:30; and the program begins at approximately 12 noon. All are invited, but reservations are required. Contact Shannon no later than June 18 to RSVP at 334-494-2753 or rwccreservations@gmail.com.



Monday evening, June 5, members of the Elba Masonic Lodge #170 raised Brother Steven Matthew Little to a Master Mason. There were 43 masons in attendance, and all enjoyed the food, fellowship, and work. Those pictured include: (front, l to r) Mickey Hatfield, Chris Marler, Seth Hanchey, Mike Amison, Tim Marler, Donnie Hussey, Steven Matthew Little, Jim Little, Wendell Black, Ronnie Rawls, Mike Marler, Jim Hill, Dorman Richards, and Drexell Richards; (second row, 1 to r) Shane Goude, Larry Shaw, Matt Brunson Sr., Heath Hornsby, Joe Kather, Mike Murphy, Dale Stewart, Jerome Blackmon, Steve Dewberry, Troy Gideon III, Chris Sanders, and Cody Kelley; (third row, 1 to r) Harry Young, Larry Selman, Fox Brunson, James Killebrew, Eddie Kelley, Ethen Dodd, Brian Smith, Howard Oliver, and Justin Prescott; and (back row, l to r) Tom Nesbit, Allan Brackin, Tommy Morrow, Jack Caradine, Joel Moore, and Daniel Stephens.

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